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PHOTOGRAPHIC INTELLIGENCE BRIEF

CIA/RR-HTA

INSTALLATION: Stalin Petroleum Refinery
LOCATION: Baku, USSR
B.E. NUMBER:
WAC NUMBER: 325

BRIEF NO.: B-71-57
DATE: 15 August 1957
LAT.: 40°22'N
LONG.: 49°54'E

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PHOTO DATA:



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REFERENCE:

ATMP 1st Ed., Oct 1952
1st Ed., Aug 1950

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ENCLOSURE: Aerial photograph of Stalin Petroleum Refinery.

REQUIREMENT RR/HTA/E/R2/57: Describe changes since World War II in the Stalin Petroleum Refinery.

REMARKS:

The Stalin Petroleum Refinery, located in the eastern section of Baku, is one of five refineries comprising the Waterfront Group. This group constitutes the largest petroleum refining development in the USSR.

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A comparison of photography with that of reveals that the Stalin Refinery has been enlarged since World War II. The northern half of the plant has been expanded and new equipment added. In the southern section of the plant one large shell still battery has been removed, and the arrangement of the finished products storage tanks has been changed. No other changes are apparent in the plant.

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Haze and smoke preclude a more detailed analysis of the photography.

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